NOTICE OF PROPOSED WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PERMIT FOR MR. JAMES MONK ISLAND OF HAWAII, HAWAII

NPDES PERMIT NO. HI S000094

06-CW-PW-31

October 2, 2006

The State Department of Health ("DOH"), tentatively proposes to issue a National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System ("NPDES") permit to discharge storm water runoff from the James Monk ("Project") to receiving State waters, subject to special conditions to:

MR. JAMES MONK 13010 MOORCROFT LANE AUSTIN, TEXAS 78729-7835

The proposed draft permit will expire on **December 1, 2010.**

Mr. James Monk is proposing to construct a dwelling and coffee planting terraces. Approximately 1.5 acres of land will be graded for the dwelling/access. Approximately four (4) acres of land will be graded for agricultural activities. The project is adjacent to Mamalahoa Highway between 98 and 99 mile markers. The TMK No. is (3) 8-7-003:007.

Storm water run-off associated with construction activities from the Project is permitted to discharge to the following discharge point after implementation of Best Management Practices: Pacific Ocean, Class AA, Marine Waters, Latitude 19°20'26"N and Longitude 155°53'08"W.

The discharge point is classified by the DOH as Class AA, Marine Waters. The objective of Class AA waters is to remain in their natural state as nearly as possible with an absolute minimum of pollution from any human-caused source.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed NPDES permit or to request a public hearing, should submit their comments or requests in writing no later than 30 days after the date of this notice, either in person or by mail, to:

Office Address:

Mailing Address:

Clean Water Branch Environmental Management Division Department of Health 919 Ala Moana Boulevard Room 301 Honolulu, HI 96814-4920 Clean Water Branch Environmental Management Division Department of Health P.O. Box 3378 Honolulu, HI 96801-3378

Copies of the proposed draft permit, and other information are available for public inspection, Monday through Friday (excluding holidays) from 7:45 a.m. until 4:15 p.m., at the DOH office address shown above, and at the Hawaii District Health Offices located at

1582 Kamehameha Avenue, Hilo, HI 96720, and at the Keakealani Building, 79-1020 Haukapila Street, Room 109, Kealakekua, HI 96750. Copies may be bought. The draft permit and fact sheet are also available on the internet at http://www.state.hi.us/doh/eh/cwb/pubntcs/index.html. For more information or if you have special needs due to disability that will aid you in inspecting and/or commenting on the draft permit and related information, please contact Mr. Alec Wong, Supervisor of the Engineering Section, Clean Water Branch, at the above address or (808) 586-4309 (Voice) at least seven (7) days before the comment deadline. For those who use a TTY/TDD, please call through Sprint Relay Hawaii, at 1-711 or 1(877) 447-5991.

All comments and requests received on time will be considered. If DOH determines that there is significant public interest, a public hearing may be held after at least 30 days of public notice.

If DOH's position is substantially unchanged after considering all timely written comments and all oral comments at any public hearing that may be held, then the DOH will issue the NPDES permit and this action will be final.

Please notify anyone you know who would be interested in this matter.

Chiyome Leinaala Fukino, M. D. Director of Health

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